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Applicant(s): Thomas GIROUD

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For: **A METHOD OF FORMING A DECORATIVE MOTIF ON A COMPONENT
OF A LIGHTING OR INDICATING APPARATUS FOR A MOTOR
VEHICLE**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION (37 C.F.R. 1.116)

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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to a Final Official Action dated August 22, 2006 for which a three month shortened statutory period for reply expires November 22, 2006.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment After Final Rejection.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page **2** of this paper.

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